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The News' Briefs

Murderer asks to spend final hours with Bernadin

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — Terminally ill Cardinal Joseph Bernadin met Tuesday with a mass murderer who wanted to spend his final hours with a man facing death like himself. Bernadin, head of the 2.3-million-member Roman Catholic archdiocese of Chicago, is dying of cancer and has a year or less to live.

The condemned man, Raymond Lee Stewart, wanted to pray with the cardinal because Bernadin is "a man who is looking at life from the far end," said the inmate's lawyer, Joshua Sachs.

Bernadin, who said earlier in the day that he did not want his visit with Stewart to be perceived as a media event, spent about an hour inside the prison, entering and leaving out of view of reporters.

Stewart, 44, was to be put to death by injection early Wednesday for a 1981 rampage that took six lives. The Illinois Supreme Court rejected his appeal Tuesday, a day after his request for clemency was denied by Gov. Jim Edgar.

Stewart was not a Roman Catholic and thus couldn't receive the last rites of the church. But the cardinal could still give Stewart his blessing.

"In a sense, he and I are in the same boat," Bernadin said. "He knows he's going to die tonight, and I know that I am going to die in the near future."

"I want to hear what he has to say, his outlook in regard to the execution," Bernadin said. "Then I will respond as best I can as a pastor to help him spiritually prepare for this event."

Ordinarily, only prison chaplains are allowed contact with condemned prisoners, so Sachs asked the Illinois Supreme Court for an exception to allow Bernadin to visit.

The Corrections Department gave its approval before the court acted.

One killed in Penn State shooting

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — A 19-year-old woman with a Mohawk haircut spread out a tarp in the middle of the Penn State University campus Tuesday and opened fire with a rifle, killing one student and wounding another before she was tackled while trying to reload.

Jillian Robbins, a hunter with Army Reserve training who acquaintances said had a history of mental problems and was known as "Crazy Jill," was hospitalized in serious condition with a stab wound suffered in a struggle with the student who came to the rescue and knocked her down.

No immediate charges were filed against Robbins, who is a longtime resident of State College but not a student.

Police gave no motive for the shooting and said Robbins did not know her victims.

Robbins positioned herself in front of the student union and fired off at least five shots from her rifle, a Mauser with a telescopic sight, around 9:30 a.m., police said.

Compiled from staff and wire reports.

Kuwait to get more U.S. troops

Barry Schweid
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Clinton is sending 3,500 U.S. troops to Kuwait to "keep Saddam Hussein in a box" and as a warning the Iraqi leader risks further attacks if he threatens American forces or neighboring Persian Gulf nations.

Defense Secretary William Perry said today the troops would join 1,200 already in Kuwait and would be there by the

end of the week. He flatly rejected speculation the Kuwaiti government initially was unwilling to accept additional U.S. forces.

"We're doing it because the Kuwaiti government feels threatened," said Perry. Kuwait was invaded by Iraq in 1990 and liberated months later by a U.S. led coalition.

Asked what actions by Saddam Hussein would prompt renewed U.S. strikes against Iraq, the defense secretary said, "We will

not tolerate any threatening actions against our air crews and any they take we will respond very sharply."

At the State Department, a spokesman said a new diplomatic note was sent to Baghdad's U.N. mission warning Iraq not to threaten U.S. forces or its neighbors. It was the second such warning in the past 10 days.

Spokesman Nicholas Burns said the note was "to put Iraq on notice."

Earlier in the day President

Clinton said he had signed the order sending the troops to Kuwait so that there wouldn't "be any ambiguity at all."

Senate Republican leader Trent Lott of Mississippi expressed satisfaction with the administration policy after meeting with Clinton. He said he hoped "there will be no basis" for the troops to go into action but that depends on whether Saddam threatens U.S. forces, including pilots flying over northern and southern Iraq, and Iraq's neigh-

bors. Before departing for a three-day campaign swing in the Midwest and West, Clinton said, "The response we gave was designed to improve the strategic position of the United States and our allies to keep Saddam Hussein in a box and limit his ability to threaten his neighbors."

Defense Secretary William Perry was expected to give more details at a Pentagon briefing

See Iraq, page six.

Ceremony to honor Ribeau as president

Jay Young
The BG News

Sidney Ribeau will officially become the University's ninth president Friday during a ceremony that will include a speech by the chancellor of the Ohio Board of Regents.

The installation ceremony will begin at 10 a.m. in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom of the University Union. The event will include the presentation to Ribeau of the University medallion by Board of Trustees President Ray Medlin. The medallion, created in 1964 for the inauguration of William Jerome, is worn by all University presidents at graduations and other formal occasions.

Ribeau will then deliver an installation address.

The event will also mark the beginning of the Presidential Lecture Series and will feature a talk by Chancellor Elaine Hairston.

Following the program, a free picnic for the entire University

community will be held on the lawn in front of University hall. The University Marching Band, as well as other musical groups, will perform.

Sandra MacNevin, special assistant to the president, said Ribeau is hoping for a large student turnout.

"President Ribeau very much wanted an event that students would and could attend," MacNevin said. "It's really an event for them."

She said all dining halls, with the exception of the Falcon's Nest, will close during the picnic so members of Food Operations can serve those attending. The dining halls will reopen in the evening.

MacNevin said the president's family, friends, former colleagues, members of the Board of Trustees and Board of Regents are expected to attend.

Some have questioned the selection of Hairston as the speaker following a year that saw the Regents remove subsidies for several University doctoral programs. At Friday's Board of Trustees meeting, Janet Morrison, Graduate Student Senate president, said there is a possi-

See Ribeau, page three.

Re-Birth



Brandon Juhasz/The BG News

Workers paint on the wall of the Jerome Library Tuesday. Painters are darkening designs that were already present.

Center will assist faculty with technology in classes

Jay Young
The BG News

In an effort to help faculty become better teachers, the University has established The Center for Teaching, Learning and Technology.

Located in 109 Olscamp Hall, Director Dan Madigan said the center will help instructors integrate technology in their classrooms.

"It's designed to serve all faculty here at the University in terms of teaching, learning and their technology needs," Madigan said. "We've really never had anything for faculty members that focused on teaching and learning."

Library Dean Linda Dobb said the main objective of the center will be to improve the use of technology in the classroom.

"The first purpose is to really work with faculty on multi-media skills and classroom communication skills," Dobb said. "We're going through a little bit of a shift on this campus, from a lot of attention to the graduate pro-

grams to a lot of attention to the undergraduate programs. When you do that you really need to re-focus some of your teaching techniques."

Madigan said the center will conduct workshops for both Macintosh and PC systems. He said the seminars will give faculty a sense of direction.

"The plan for these workshops is to give faculty a start. We're going to teach them as much as we can," Madigan said. "What we hope faculty will do is pick it up from there. We want to give them a one-shot deal so they can get an idea of what's going on and then show them how to move on from there."

Madigan said keeping up with and applying technology to the various disciplines on campus will require a lot of reading and communicating.

"We have a lot of different platforms to keep an eye on," Madigan said. "What's surprising, though, is these teachers have a common thing and that's what we're going for. That is,

they want the excellence in teaching."

Dobb said talking about teaching will be something new on campus.

"We haven't had a lot of discussion about teaching and learning, and we're going to have some," Dobb said. "I hope it will be of interest to people. It may not be, but it's an experiment and I hope it works."

Dobb said the center cannot make everyone turn to technology to improve their teaching.

"Sometimes you can't, but I'm hoping that we can help make an impact on whoever is interested," Dobb said. "We really would like to help faculty gear up for distance education."

Workshops about using e-mail started Tuesday and continue through Thursday. Faculty interested in using Eudora can attend workshops next week. Those interested in attending can call the center at 372-6898.

Students to vote for USG senators

Jay Young
The BG News

Undergraduate Student Government will kick off their school year today with the election of campus and off-campus senators.

Jimmy Weckesser, USG vice president, said students can vote today in Founders, Kreischer and MacDonald dining halls between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. He said students can vote at the Union from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Results of the election will be announced Thursday at 8 a.m. in the Prout Hall Lounge on the first floor.

Tara Gore, USG president, said a large amount of students are running for the 12 district seats on the ballot.

"I'm really excited that so many students are interested in running for positions," Gore said. "I'm excited about all the opportunities we're going to have this year."

Gore, junior political science major, said she has spent the past months preparing for the school year.

"I've been here all summer and I've been trying really hard to get all the basic office stuff done," Gore said. "I have a very positive outlook all the time. I want to be able to keep my positive outlook and do as many things as I can."

Gore said USG is working with Graduate Student Senate and Faculty Senate to address some of the concerns cited in the Building Community Report.

"We're taking the whole Building Community Report and we're going through and picking areas where USG can work on some areas," she said.

Gore and Weckesser said one of the biggest issues for USG this year will be safety. Weckesser said USG members will serve on the Safety Task Force and help make students aware of what they can do to protect themselves.

Letters to the Editor

Skateboards on campus have become the most destructive people on campus [sic]. Mr. Fernengel asks "... how exactly do you damage cement stairs and concrete with a skateboard?" Since you are new here, Mr. Fernengel, I will tell you what you and people like you have done to our campus.

As you and your cohorts attempt ride [sic] your skateboard along the edges of the steps, rails, and benches of our campus you scare [sic] them with the paint and dyes from you [sic] boards. All across campus, benches, steps, rails and curbs have become blackened and defaced by your treatment of them. The same hand rail that was featured in a BG News photo — skateboarder included — has been broken for the second time in the last three months by skateboarders. The railing behind the Alumni Center has been dislodged from its brick mooring, and a light fixture on the flag pole mount have [sic] been destroyed by skateboards, the tell-tale paint scares [sic] visible on the edges.

And before you launch into a "I'm paying to go here, I own the place" diatribe, can I ask you whose money pays to replace are [sic] repair the result of your happy little pastime? I'd rather see our campus officers not have to waste their time stopping you, the maintenance staff cleaning up after you, and rest [sic] of our tuition paying for you.

If that means you actually have to go and find something constructive to do with your life to keep out of drugs and beer, other than skateboarding, than so be it. And if on a campus of 17,000 students, 197 student groups, 200 sporting events, and thousands of other cultural activities, you can't find something to do, than that speaks to a problem with you, not how the world treats you.

Nathan W.L. Boyle
Senior
History

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Students need to show support

Mike Wendling

I am usually not one to jump on the nearest bandwagon. Last week, however, an interesting message arrived in my e-mail box. The mail came from Scott Shepard of the Ohio Higher Education Rescue Committee. I'm sure many of you have never heard of this organization, and I too was ignorant of their existence until last week. Yet after reading the message from Mr. Shepard, I decided the Ohio Higher Education Rescue Committee deserves at least as much coverage in The News as the Molson Polar Beach Party.

The Committee is encouraging faculty and students to attend the Sept. 20 installation ceremony of President Sidney Ribeau, and to wear school colors to the ceremony. There's a larger purpose than school spirit in the Committee's actions. The keynote speaker at the installation will be Elaine Hairston, Chancellor of the Ohio Board of Regents.

According to Shepard, Hairston has repeatedly attempted to subvert the autonomy of Ohio's public universities to increase the power and prestige held by the Regents. In addition, Hairston is a vigorous proponent of the "corporate"

model of higher education. Consider the following quote, taken from Hairston's testimony in front of the Ohio state legislature in 1995:

"We must become the high performance campus ... modeled on the concept of the high performance company. How did the successful companies achieve change? They restructured, they downsized, and reformed in order to pay attention to ... the needs of the customers ... and changing customer demands."

I could delve into the problems with the "corporate" model of higher education, but that topic is for another column. It should be intuitively clear that words such as "downsizing" don't belong anywhere near a college campus. If campuses were judged as companies are, the recent news of increasing dropout rates at Ohio State might be a positive thing. Perhaps the Board of Regents should vote themselves a pay

raise.

Also keep in mind that Hairston, as Chancellor of the Board of Regents, controls not only Ohio universities, but all Ohio public schools. I'm curious as to her thoughts on elementary and secondary education. Selling the Cleveland public schools would increase cash flow and eliminate liability. Is this a move Regents, Inc. is considering?

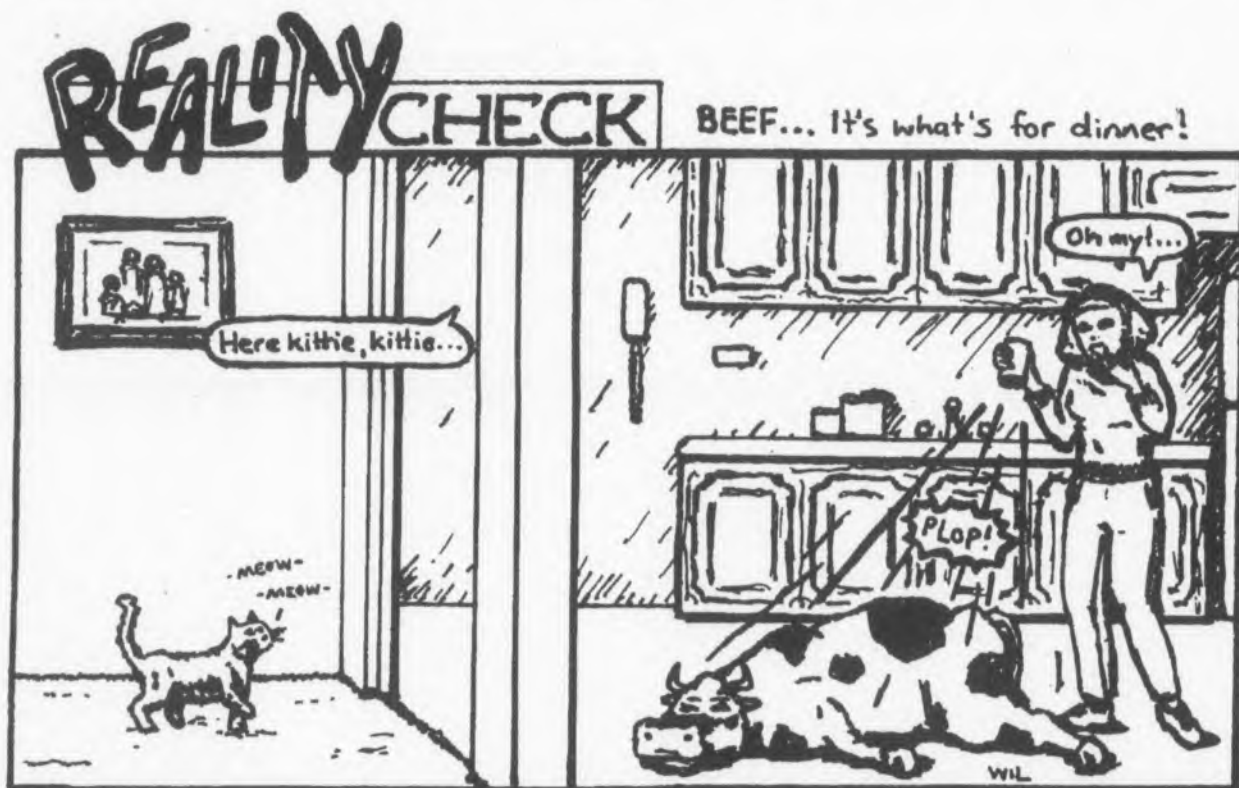
Hairston and several other Regents sounded quite business-like when discussing the condition of Central State University. Phrases like "past debt" and references to financial health were many. Where did students end up in the Board's equation? Hairston remarked that the number of students was a cause for celebration, given the financial and maintenance problems the school has undergone. She did not mention anything regarding what learning might be taking place at CSU. Nor was anything said about possible overcrowding problems or other problems students or faculty might face. Evidently, these things don't enter into Hairston's financial equation.

In his e-mail, Shepard goes on to say that Dr. Ribeau

has expressed his support for decision making centered at BGSU, not in Columbus. Don't expect Ribeau to directly take on Ms. Hairston, however. It is a simple and understandable political move to be nothing but kind to "the boss". Dr. Ribeau can't be expected to challenge Hairston, especially not during his installation as President of a major university. This is why the students, faculty, and staff of BGSU must pitch in to show their opposition to the "corporate" model of higher education. If Mr. Shepard's interpretation is correct, it is our duty to support the University by showing up in full regalia on Friday.

I encourage anyone interested to contact Mr. Shepard and the Ohio Higher Education Rescue Committee at msshepa@bgnet.bgsu.edu, or to visit their web site at <http://www.bgsu.edu/~msshepa>. Additional information concerning the Ohio Board of Regents can be found at <http://www.bor.ohio.gov>.

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World full of hate needs more love

Jason E. Wolfe

"Love is the only satisfactory answer to the problem of human existence." —Erich Fromm

In our perpetual pernicious world, senseless death is unfortunately commonplace. This profane yet frequent act has become quotidian, a practice norm, accepted daily. Flooding images of unnecessary death via television and newspapers dominate our media. Even the vast majority of our entertainment, from sports to Hollywood, is soaked in blood. All of these factors begin to numb a person to violence, creating dispassionate individuals to another's pain, further removing us from the bitter reality of murder.

But suddenly death creeps up to our back door. Like a thief in the night, death strikes unexpectedly, robbing us of life itself. The recent and senseless death of fellow peer Julie Kane has indeed intimately brought death to our exclusive campus world. Julie's benevolent personality and loving heart brought such joy in our world. Like a desert rose, she stood apart, alone, with the courage to show love in a cold world. By her death, humanity has suffered an incalculable loss. However, the peril stands twofold. First, with Julie's death and second, from failure to learn from the sombering event. For through this past

week, I have listened to many students vehemently voicing their unanimous opinion that Craig Baker, the alleged murderer, deserves to die.

Through the midst of tears, obsessive thoughts of vengeance begin to override all other cognitions. Unfortunately, rather than directing our energy to ebbing the pain and suffering of both Julie's family and friends, many focus upon revenge. For example, when I asked others what they believe should be done, unanimously I heard, "Kill him!" Truly, I emphasize. People are demanding swift justice. However, violence is certainly not the moral answer. Murder, be it disguised as vengeance, shall do nothing to honor the memory of Julie nor bring her back. Has not enough blood been spilled already in our world? Executing a murderer does not alter the past, avenge the victim, not ultimately teach why killing is initially wrong. Incongruently, this presents a rather paradoxical oxymoron: Why do we kill people who kill people to teach that killing people is wrong? Sadly, by fail-

ing to truly teach why murder is immoral, history shall only repeat itself. Perhaps this is as equally tragic as the initial loss of Julie's life.

So, the lingering question of what course of appropriate action to be taken impatiently remains. My proposition, indeed humanity's sole answer inherently lies in the exclusive existence of only one formidable weapon. Misguided and misunderstood, this limitless resource is seldom effectively tapped into. Hence, it stands impotent to invoke permanent change or absolute justice. But with this endless resource, alter our world we shall. This resource that I am specifically alluding to is Love.

Paraphrasing the philosophy of a teacher from Galilee, how worthy is it to love those who love us already, to give mercy to the merciful. Rather, the ones who show love the least are in fact the very ones who need it the most. And did not Gandhi say, "Hate the sin, but love the sinner"?

Love isn't love until you give it away, freely, unconditionally. Loving those that wrong us, who harm our very lives, is perhaps the most difficult of all tasks laid before us. Paradoxically, it is also the most rewarding.

I am not attempting to state that we should simply forget atrocities. On the contrary,

thorough examinations of crimes against humanity are definitely needed. However, instead of focusing upon some sort of revenge that could never bring our loved ones back, we need to build a living community guided by love, feeding that mercy, letting it breathe into each and every one of us. Verily, had love existed beforehand, perhaps many monstrous deeds would have been averted.

In conclusion, I wanted to write something worthy to Julie's life, thanking her for her profound affect upon so many she touched coupled with a message to love our aggressors. But alas, what merger wordsmithing could ever ease that pain, what words could equal an invaluable life?

But please know this, Julie. Truly, your flame shall not be extinguished from the fragile hearts that hold you close. Indeed, your spirit shall continue to live on, coming to us in the warmth of the sunshine, through the laughter of children. And as you do, gently remind us that to love is to sacrifice.

You are missed, Julie; you are loved.

Jason E. Wolfe is dedicating this column to the honorable memory of Julie Kane. To all of you who knew Julie, hold on. Omnia vincuntur ... Love Conquers All.



BGSU director will represent chiefs of police

Dawn Keller
The BG News

The Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police selected University Director of Public Safety Roger Dennerll to represent them as vice president.

Dennerll, who is the first public safety director from a university chosen to represent the association, said his involvement with the association and experience made the difference.



"When you become actively involved in a state organization, you also are the beneficiary of the latest in training, updates and recognition," he said.

Dennerll said he was on the association's education and human diversity committees.

"I push and pursue education throughout the state for training for officers," he said.

Dennerll said the University was the first to have human diversity training for officers.

"We started this four or five years ago before it was what everybody was doing," he said. "Because of the position I had with the human diversity committee, I was able to bring the training to the University."

Dennerll said a few employees said they did not need human diversity training.

"When they got done, they came up and said 'Thank you, it actually benefitted me to try to understand why this person is different and why this person acts different than me,'" he said. "It's not a racial thing, it's just, 'This person acts differently than I do, why do they?'"

Dennerll said the association encourages networking and provides updates in technology information.

"If I need a policy procedure on the use of force, I would go to those individuals at the Central Office in Dublin, Ohio, and say, 'What do you have or what are other folks doing on use of force?'" he said.

Dennerll said he can compare ideas with other police stations.

"I can say, 'We're having prob-

lems with vandalizing cars, and here's how they are doing it. Has anyone else experienced a similar problem?'" he said. "I'll get faxes from Kent saying, 'Yes, we had the same type, here's what was going on, here's what was happening.'"

Barb Waddell, public information officer, said when employees come up with a legitimate idea, Dennerll will seriously consider it.

"People within this department have good ideas, and he's very good at listening to those ideas," she said. "Unlike any other supervisor I've ever worked for, he's very supportive of new ideas."

Dennerll said talking to someone about work-related issues is beneficial.

"I like to know what my peers and other officers are doing," he said.

Dennerll said he's pleased to be selected as vice president.

"It's nice to be recognized in the fact that those other 450 people thought enough of our department to pick someone from it," he said.

Dennerll has worked in law enforcement for 33 years. He's said he's worked from municipal to federal training to state to University.

"I've been in all phases of law enforcement," he said. "I spent 27 years with a major metropolitan city and worked their strike forces, crisis intervention and hostage teams."

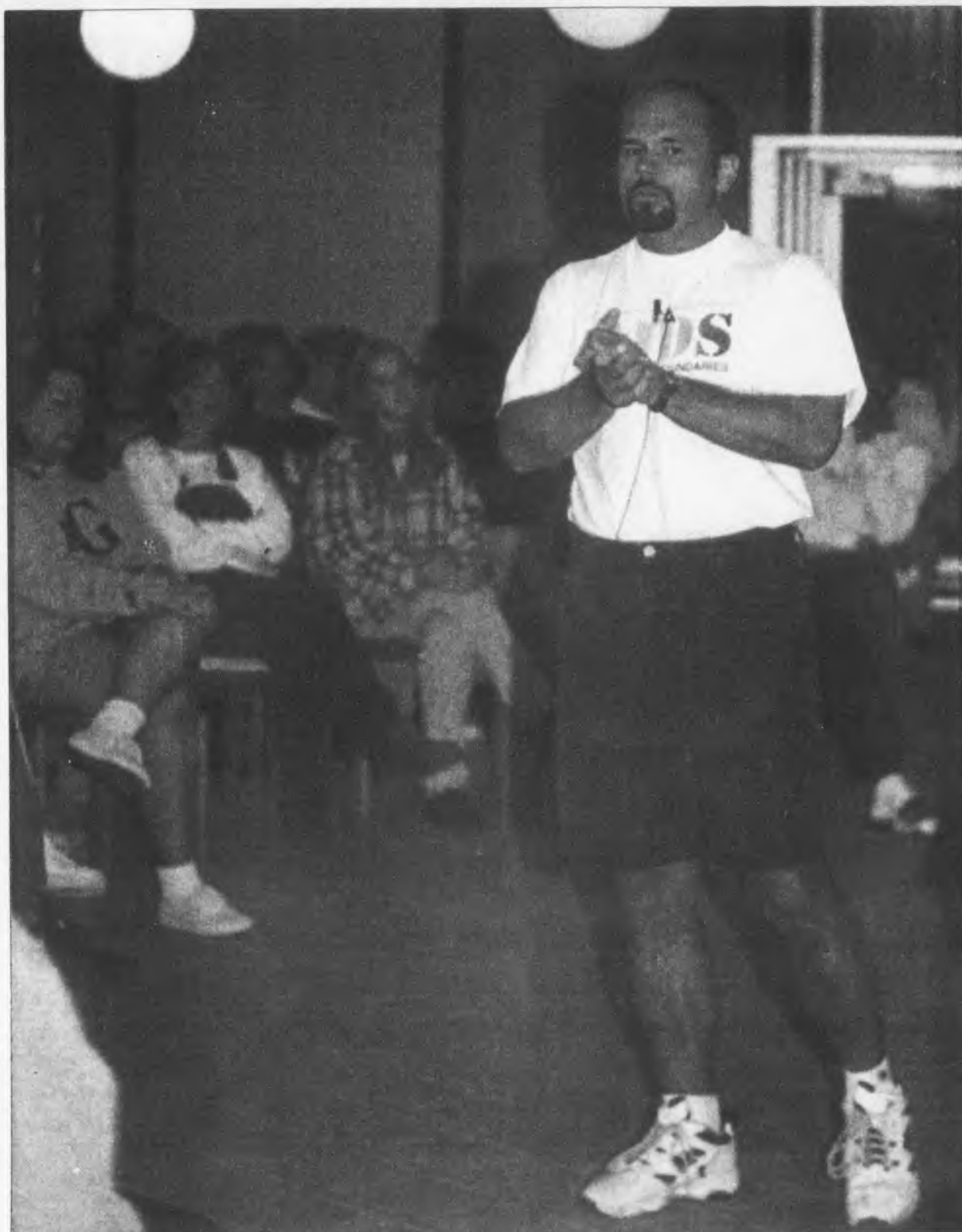
Dennerll said when he sees students making something of their life, he smiles.

"In the city, I saw the bad part of it. I saw the drug dealers, the prostitutes and the kids on crack," he said. "There's a lot of positive things that are happening in places like this. I am able to go home and say there are youngsters out there making something of their lives. They are not all on alcohol. They are not all on drugs."

Dennerll said he's glad to bring his training from the association to Northwest Ohio.

"If I can bring back some training to Bowling Green that helps an officer in Napoleon or Bryan do a better job, what else is there? Who's the beneficiary? The whole community here," he said.

The Condom Man



Shannon Workman/The BG News

Kurt Wheeler, a member of Planned Parenthood and currently known as "The Condom Man," gives a special presentation on

AIDS and related issues to the students of BGSU in the Commons Dining Hall.

Ribeau

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bility that some will protest the chancellor's presence by wearing orange or ribbons.

"We as a group appreciate that Dr. Hairston can come at Dr.

Ribeau's request and are looking forward to what she has to say," Morrison told the trustees in her monthly report. "We will not, however, neglect our obligation as learning persons to voice our dissenting opinions."

MacNevin said the choice to bring Hairston to campus for the event was Ribeau's.

"She was selected by the president as the first speaker of this series," MacNevin said. "He thought this address would be

very appropriate, as he wants to focus not just on himself but on what the challenges will be in the 21st century."

MacNevin said that Ribeau did consider the possibility that some may dislike Hairston.

"Even though he knew that for some groups on campus she will be a controversial speaker, the perspective she will give will be very important," MacNevin said. "President Ribeau felt that this would be a good opportunity for

the campus to hear from the chancellor personally on challenges to higher education in general."

MacNevin said in the event of rain, the picnic will be held in the dining halls.

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Manny the Accused



Michael Heinz/The Associated Press

Micah Papp, right, also known as "Manny the Hippie" on the David Letterman show, is led away by Mark Adkins, an investigator from the Greene County prosecutor's office in Xenia, Ohio, Monday. Papp, who gained fame as a movie critic on "Late Show with David Letterman," turned himself in to authorities Monday to face accusations of violating probation on a marijuana conviction by moving to California without the court's permission.

Central enrollment rises University registration exceeds predictions

The Associated Press

WILBERFORCE, Ohio - Central State University officials said Monday that they were pleased at the number of students who have enrolled at the

school, which has financial problems and closed dormitories.

The school announced that 1,957 students have registered for fall-quarter classes, exceeding the projections of state officials who a few months ago said

they expected 1,500 students to enroll. A year ago, 2,561 students were enrolled.

Central State is Ohio's only predominantly black, public university.

The state closed the school's nine dorms in July for safety reasons. State officials inspecting the campus found leaking pipes, peeling paint, broken windows and too few fire alarms and extinguishers.

Also, a new board of trustees fired the school's interim president and its chief financial officer, and the state auditor launched several probes of university finances.

The school's debt exceeds \$8 million, and some state legislators say the university's future is not assured.

The school's board of trustees was scheduled to meet today in Columbus to begin forming a search committee to recommend a new president.

Jury finds Ohio man guilty of killing four

The Associated Press
COLUMBUS, Ohio - A fired bank employee sat grim and motionless Tuesday as a jury convicted him of killing four people in a shooting rampage that targeted those who had crossed him.

Jerry Hessler listened without expression as the verdicts were read in Franklin County Common Pleas Court.

Police said Hessler had compiled a list of those he felt had slighted him - either at work or in love - and plotted to kill them.

Hessler, 38, of the suburb of Westerville, could be sentenced to die for the convictions of six counts of aggravated murder. Testimony on sentencing will begin Sept. 30.

His lawyers had admitted he

was guilty in the Nov. 19 shootings - which left two other people injured - but hope to convince the jury that Hessler was mentally ill and should not receive the death penalty.

He was charged with killing former Bank One co-workers Brian and Tracey Stevens and their 5-month-old daughter, Amanda, all of Columbus; and Worthington resident P. Thane Griffin, who was the father of a woman who had befriended Hessler.

After the shootings in Columbus, Hessler drove 70 miles north to Ashland, where he shot at the husband of a woman who had rejected his romantic advances, Ashland police said. Douglas Stanton fired back after Hessler

kicked in his back door, shot at him and refused to leave.

Stanton had armed himself after authorities warned him that Hessler could be headed to his home.

Hessler also was convicted of one count of murder, three counts of attempted aggravated murder, one count of aggravated burglary and one count of improperly firing a gun into a house.

The defense called only one witness in the trial, which began Aug. 9.

Hessler's sister-in-law, Cindy Hessler, told jurors that the family tried to hide guns from Hessler and have him treated for mental illness for more than a year before the shootings.

Animal-rights group asks for suspensions

John Nolan
The Associated Press

CINCINNATI - An animal-rights group said Tuesday it has asked the government to consider suspending the licenses of nine research organizations where the group says animals are being mistreated.

Stop Animal Exploitation Now, a group based in suburban Milford, asked U.S. Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman in a letter to investigate whether the organizations have violated the 1966 Animal Welfare Act by mistreating animals used in laboratory research.

Michael Budkie, the group's director, said a review of Agriculture Department inspection reports dating back to 1991 found violations at the nine organizations. Several have received USDA warnings and incurred repeat violations of animal welfare regulations, he said.

Budkie also complained that the USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

lacks legislative authority to enforce the law and apparently has not conducted all required annual inspections of animal research labs.

The group's review found cases in which animals were kept in restraints for more than 24 hours at a time, given inadequate food or veterinary care, kept in dirty cages, or subjected to electric shock or water deprivation without consideration of less painful research methods.

"The USDA is understaffed, crippled by a lack of regulatory authority and an inability to impose meaningful penalties," he said.

He asked the USDA to investigate the Yerkes Primate Center in Atlanta and animal research operations run by the University of Washington, Michigan State University, University of Pennsylvania, University of Toledo, University of Florida, University of South Florida, University of Southern California and Stolle Research & Development Corp., based in suburban Cin-

cinnati.

The group, which works to end animal research, plans protests starting next month at the research operations.

The USDA does its best to enforce the Animal Welfare Act, spokesman Jim Rogers said Tuesday.

The USDA conducts annual unannounced inspections on animal dealers, research facilities and animal exhibitors. Violations that are cited and not corrected can result in fines and suspension or revocation of animal handling licenses.

Curt Cranmer, president of Stolle Research, said his company no longer conducts animal research. The violations USDA cited were minor, Cranmer said.

The USDA has cited Michigan State for violations, but the university believes it has good training programs and provides good care for its research animals, said Christine Williams, director of the unit that procures and cares for the school's research animals.

Arrest made in Versailles Man accused of beating 83-year-old mother to death

The Associated Press

VERSAILLES, Ohio - A man was arrested on a murder charge Tuesday after his mother was found beaten to death in her home, police said.

Police Chief Doug Green said an officer found the body of Clar-

ibel Laub, 83, on her living-room floor after police received an emergency call reporting a beating.

"She had some severe trauma to the head," said Green, adding that police believe the woman was beaten by hands or fists.

Green said the woman's son,

James John Laub, 57, was arrested at the home and charged with murder. He said Laub, who had lived with his mother, has a history of mental problems.

Laub was arraigned in Darke County Common Pleas Court, where an examination was ordered to determine his competency to stand trial.

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Rosza, a baby giraffe, is shown with her mother, Melindi, Monday at the Milwaukee County Zoo in Milwaukee, Wis. Rosza, who weighed 150 pounds when she was born Saturday, is 6 foot 2 inches tall and is expected to grow as tall as her mom, who is 16-foot tall.

FBI denounces rumors of TWA

Pat Milton
The Associated Press

SMITHTOWN, N.Y. -- The FBI's top investigator into the explosion of TWA Flight 800 said a rumor that friendly missile fire brought down the jet is "an outrageous allegation."

Speculation that an errant missile launched by a U.S. warship or aircraft downed the jet July 17 has surfaced on Internet chat groups.

"It's just not true," James Kallstrom said angrily. "It's an outrageous allegation."

Investigators have been considering three theories for the cause of the crash that killed all 230 aboard: a bomb, mechanical failure and a missile.

Kallstrom and Robert Francis, vice chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board, said they still could not yet say what brought down the plane.

Kallstrom said investigators had gone to the highest levels of the Defense Department to vir-

tually rule out friendly fire.

"It's not being covered up at any level," he said. "I don't want the victims' families or the public to think that we would do something like that."

"There is not a bevy of information there that we're holding back. There really isn't," Kallstrom said. "You just have to take my word for it at this point but that's the truth."

Meanwhile, the Navy is continuing to move scanning operations westward, over areas where the first pieces may have fallen from the plane, and divers are searching for any small bits of debris that might remain.

About 70 percent of the plane has been recovered.

Perot banned from debates

Presidential hopeful may challenge decision in lawsuit

Sandra Soblera
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON -- Ross Perot should be excluded from this fall's debates between President Clinton and Bob Dole because he does not have a realistic chance of winning the election, the bipartisan Commission on Presidential Debates decided today.

"Participation is not extended to candidates because they might prove interesting or entertaining," co-chairman Paul Kirk said.

The panel voted unanimously to recommend that Perot and Reform Party running mate Pat Choate should not be invited to the debates.

Perot's national coordinator, Russell Verney, called the decision a "travesty" and threatened to challenge it in a federal lawsuit.

The Dole campaign welcomed the decision as the only fair outcome. But the Clinton campaign called the ruling regrettable and said it would continue to push for Perot's participation in talks with Dole negotiators later today.

"I enjoyed having him in there in 1992," Clinton said from Michigan. "I'm not afraid of any de-



Ross Perot

bate."

Former Republican Party chief Frank Fahrenkopf Jr., another commission co-chairman, said the decision was based on an "unvarnished" view of Perot's chances -- given his current poll standings as well as his showing as an independent candidate in 1992, when he won 19 percent of the popular vote but not a single electoral vote.

The commission acknowledged that public opinion polls find a clear majority of Americans in favor of Perot's participation,

and Fahrenkopf said the panel could re-open the Perot question "if circumstances change at any time after the first debate."

Verney, who sat quietly in the front row during the commission news conference, said afterward, "We've overcome enormous hurdles that the two-political-party system has put in our way over the last year. We'll overcome this hurdle also."

Perot's exclusion represents a victory for Dole, who has called for one-on-one debates with the Democratic incumbent. Clinton and Dole campaign negotiators were meeting later today to discuss dates and formats. The commission has recommended that the first debate be next Wednesday, Sept. 25, but the Clinton campaign will propose that the first showdown be held a

week later -- on or around Oct. 2, sources said today.

Clinton campaign manager Peter Knight said, "We regret the decision by the commission. We had assumed all along that Mr. Perot would be in the debates."

Former South Carolina Gov. Carroll Campbell, Dole's lead negotiator, applauded the ruling. "The inclusion of any other participant in the debate ... would have violated the commission's own standard to include only third-party candidates who have proved they have a 'reasonable' chance to be elected president," he said in a statement released by the campaign.

Perot has languished in single digits in national polls. Still, he appeared to meet many of the commission's objective criteria.

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Iraq

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later in the day.

Clinton confirmed the deployment after meeting with congressional leaders to explain the administration's actions in Iraq as "entirely appropriate under the circumstances." He did not offer a timetable for deployment, but said the Defense Department will carry it out "in a very timely fashion."

The actions are designed to communicate to Saddam that "the box you are in is now a tighter box," Clinton said. "It's obvious that he's always pushing the envelope. We didn't want to

create a precedent that would lead him to believe he could take further action. We didn't want there to be any ambiguity at all."

Clinton sought to dispel criticism of his policy toward Iraq, saying other actions would have been too risky, such as sending ground troops in to force Saddam out of northern Iraq or staging an attack that would have cost civilian lives.

"I feel good today that we did the appropriate thing in the appropriate way and we got the results that we sought," Clinton said.

But after today's meeting, some GOP lawmakers scolded

Clinton for not matching tough words with deeds.

"Saddam Hussein is far better off than he was two weeks ago," said Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz. He said Saddam now controls parts of northern Iraq that he previously did not and the Iraqi leader has split the Gulf War allies as well.

"If you say that you're going to respond disproportionately and don't, then there's a price to pay. When your allies become very uneasy and in fact non-supportive, except for the British, then you have a very serious challenge," said McCain, who is a close friend of Clinton's presi-

dential rival, Bob Dole.

On Monday, Clinton offered assurances he is not trying to force a showdown and Iraq is beginning to meet American demands for avoiding further confrontation in the Persian Gulf. But the real test, U.S. officials say, is whether the Iraqi leader threatens his neighbors or allied forces.

Some 3,000 U.S. soldiers were at Fort Hood, Texas, waiting to see when they will be ordered to Kuwait for a new round of desert exercises. Administration officials said the United States' resolve was not weakening because some allies opposed further military action.

Allied support is stronger today than it was when U.S. cruise missiles were launched against Iraqi military targets two weeks ago, said the officials, speaking on condition they not be named.



Terry Renna/The Associated Press

The Space Shuttle Atlantis heads in this time exposure taken from the Kennedy Space center early Monday morning. The 10-day mission is scheduled to bring back astronaut Shannon Lucid from the Russian space station Mir.

Astronauts will reach Mir soon

Michelle Koldin
The Associated Press

power units minutes after liftoff Monday.

SPACE CENTER, Houston -- Space shuttle Atlantis was cleared today for a full 10-day flight as it chased after the Russian space station Mir to pick up U.S. astronaut Shannon Lucid, who has been on the outpost for six months.

Atlantis' six-man crew began preparing packages of supplies for transfer to Mir, where they are due to arrive Wednesday night.

NASA decided not to shorten Atlantis' 10-day mission in spite of the puzzling failure of one of its three hydraulic

Managers had considered reducing the amount of time the Atlantis and Mir are supposed to be connected -- five days -- and bringing the shuttle back early.

But NASA mission operations director Lee Briscoe said today that everyone agreed it would be safe to proceed because of the "pristine" condition of the two remaining power units.

Although the hydraulic units are not needed in orbit, they are essential during launch and landing, controlling wing



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Sports

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SPORTS BRIEFS

Intramural office planning kickball tournament Saturday

The intramural office is sponsoring a kickball tournament Saturday at the Ice Arena intramural fields. "It's something that we're doing that is just going to be for fun," explained intramural coordinator Thad Long. A single-elimination tournament will be held from 1-5 p.m. No roster will need to be filled out and no student ID's will be required at the fields. Students, faculty and staff are all eligible and welcome. Entries are due today in Room 130 of the Fieldhouse. Individuals wanting to join a team should call the intramural office for information.

Club sports coverage plans announced

In response to numerous questions about club sports coverage, here is a reprinting of The News' policy: Coverage of Bowling Green club sports will continue this semester as it has been in the past. Individual club sports will be responsible for providing results and/or stories. Each sport may submit whatever they wish, from just a few paragraphs of summary to a full-sized story. Realize, however, that The BG News reserves the right to edit anything submitted for publication, and that anything submitted more than a week after the original event will not be considered for publication. Any and all photographs of the sport in question are also encouraged for submission, and will be considered as space allows. Any questions can be directed to the sports desk at 372-2602.

Club volleyball team to have informational meeting

Anyone interested in joining the women's club volleyball team can attend an informational meeting at 10 p.m. tonight at the Fieldhouse meeting room. The meeting is open to anyone interested. Tryouts for the team will be one of the topics discussed. Those with questions can contact Shannon Painter at 352-8465.

Men's club soccer captures tourney

Brett Thompson
For the BG News

The Bowling Green club soccer team kicked off their season in dramatic fashion last weekend. The defending state champions won the first annual Grand Valley State Tournament in Grand Rapids, Michigan. The Falcons overcame freezing rain, an early offensive drought, and Bowling Green-like gusts of wind to capture the tournament title.

BG opened the tournament with a defensive battle against a feisty team from Ferris State University. The Falcons dominated the game, outshooting FSU 18-6, but could not find the back of the net.

After two scoreless overtime periods, the match came down to

penalty kicks. Drew Gartner, Sean Smalley, Brian Herringhaus and Perry Kraft all converted, setting the stage for senior midfielder Nathan Lee. Lee buried the shot in the left-hand corner of the net to preserve the victory.

After a tough 1-0 loss to host Grand Valley State University, BG rallied for a clutch victory against Dayton to advance to the finals. Bryan Dickson scored the only goal the Falcons needed, blasting a rocket past the helpless Dayton goalkeeper. Damon Lee assisted the goal with a cross from the touchline.

Senior defender Darren Rigel was impressed with the team's effort.

See CLUB, page nine.

Women's golf to host tourney

Vince Guerrieri
The BG News

Following a 13th place finish in the Gopher Invitational in Minnesota, the women's golf team is preparing for its annual Lady Falcon Invitational.

Coach Todd Brunsink looks forward to the Falcon Invitational, which boasts 16 teams, the largest field ever. Brunsink is especially pleased because this year's tournament offers the first opportunity to see four MAC teams on the same course.

Brunsink believes that the home tournament is not unwelcome.

"It's a good test for us," Brunsink said. "We want to win the tournament. We feel we can win the tournament."

Brunsink singled out freshman

WOMEN'S GOLF

Kate Kolesnik, who led the team with a 171-87-84 finish, and sophomore Heidi Hansen for praise.

Kolesnik, playing in only her second collegiate tournament, triple bogeyed her first hole and bogeyed the second. She then came back to shoot only five above par.

"The first tournament I played in, I was really nervous," Kolesnik said. "I feel I'm improving."

Hansen also looks forward to the Falcon Invitational, and hopes to learn from her performance in Minnesota.

"I had a couple of three-putts I shouldn't have," Hansen said. "I want to keep improving as the meets go on."

Men's golf

The men's golf team opened its season Monday at the Detroit Invitational at Arbor Hills Country Club with a 4th place finish in a field of eight.

Captain Jason Carbone was tied for 12th place with a score of 152-76-76. Ian Windsor matched that score, as did Jeff Hunt.

Cleveland State University won the tournament with 596-294-302. The University scored 607-302-305.

According to Coach Brunsink, this year's golf team has "a lot of question marks."

Brunsink said he wants to win the MAC, but a long-term objective is to be able to avoid the cycles of the sport. Brunsink wants to be able to reload quick. He is very excited with his team, espe-

MEN'S GOLF

"I'm looking for that leader to come out and shoot between 68 and 74 each round."

Todd Brunsink
golf coach

cially the sophomores, but he's looking for an upperclassman to step forward.

"I'm looking for that leader to come out and shoot between 68 and 74 each round," Brunsink said.

Kickers will face a tough weekend

Jim Tocco
The BG News

With two more wins under their belt, the Brown and Orange are confident going into a very tough weekend tournament.

"I think we're playing well enough to head out to California to what's going to be the biggest test of the year so far," said Falcons coach Mel Mahler.

The Falcons improved their ledger to 4-0-1 last weekend by defeating Central Connecticut State University and George Washington University in the Miami Kelme Invitational. The Falcons beat CCSU 4-0, and GWU 4-2. Steve Klein was once again named tournament MVP.

With the tournament win, the Falcons have now won exactly half of the mid-season tournaments it has been involved in over the years, winning 19 of 38 meetings. Their total record in the gatherings is 46-21-9.

This weekend, the Falcons play in the Goal Rush Classic in Fresno, California. The gods of sport dictate that success spawns success, and the Falcons hope to ride the wave of these two consecutive tournament victories all the way to California.

Falcons to face stiff competition

The meeting in Fresno, Calif., will be less a gathering of teams, and more a clash among collegiate soccer giants. All four teams are nationally ranked.

The 22nd ranked Falcons will start off the hard way, by facing host Fresno State Friday. The hosts are ranked third in the nation. The second game looks to be no break, pitting BG against Southern Methodist University Sunday. Southern Methodist is ranked 13th in the nation. The fourth team in the tournament is Cal State-Fullerton, ranked seventh in the country.

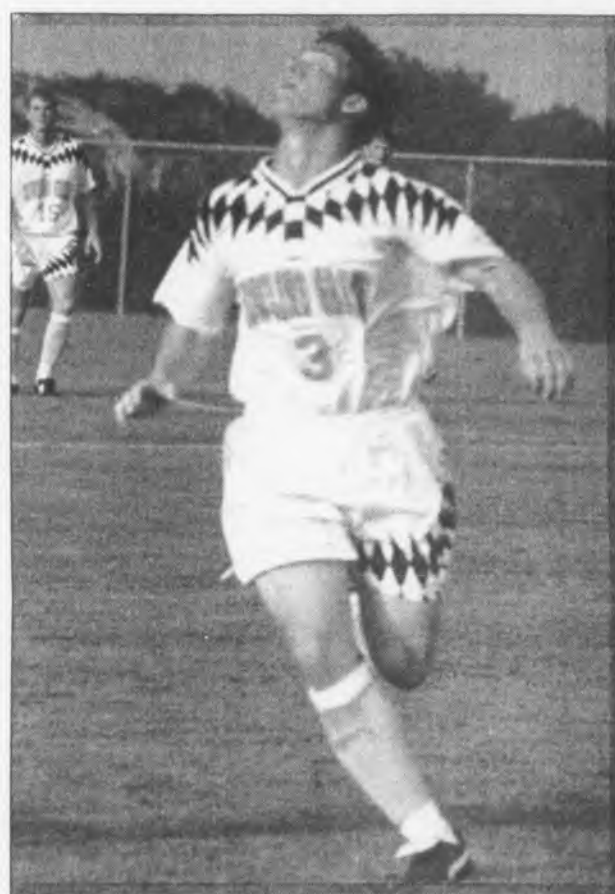
"They're both very good technical teams," Mahler said, referring to FSU and SMU. "They're very established, very successful programs ... so we might be somewhat like the new kid on the block."

Fresno State enters the tournament with an untarnished 4-0-0 record, having won its three home contests. The Bulldogs posted two wins last week, and enter the tournament sniffing blood.

BG lost to FSU 2-1 in a 1984 overtime loss. It was the only meeting between the two schools.

Southern Methodist brings a 3-2-0 record into a Wednesday contest with Mercer University. SMU didn't act very graciously as hosts this past weekend, winning their own tournament, the

See SOCCER, page eight.



The BG News/Kelly Dietrich

Freshman Kevin Jackson looks for a header. Jackson and the Falcons will have their hands full this weekend in Fresno.

Indians clinch Central

Rick Gano
Associated Press

CHICAGO -- The Cleveland Indians, with the best record in the major leagues, clinched their second straight AL Central title Tuesday night, routing the Chicago White Sox 9-4 behind a grand slam by Kevin Seitzer.

Cleveland became the first team to clinch a playoff spot this year, and the victory sends the Indians into postseason play in consecutive seasons for the first time in their 96-year history.

It also touched off a celebration at Comiskey Park, home of the slumping White Sox, whose wild-card hopes continue to wilt after six losses in eight games.

Cleveland made it to the World Series a year ago after a 100-44 regular season, only to lose in six games to the Atlanta Braves.

The Indians, 91-59, would face Baltimore in the opening round

of the AL playoffs if the Orioles hold on to their wild-card lead and fail to catch the AL East-leading New York Yankees.

Chicago began Tuesday night three games behind Baltimore in the wild-card race while Seattle was 3 back.

The Indians scored three runs in the first off Alex Fernandez (14-10) and then added five more in the second as Seitzer, acquired from the Milwaukee Brewers on Aug. 31, hit his fourth career grand slam.

Manny Ramirez had three singles, a double and drove in three runs in Cleveland's 15-hit attack, 13 of them allowed by Fernandez in 6 1-3 innings.

Brian Anderson (3-1) allowed seven hits in six innings, including Frank Thomas' fifth homer in three games, to get the victory. Eric Plunk pitched three innings for his second save, allowing an

RBI single to Harold Baines in the ninth.

Cleveland loaded the bases with no outs in the second on a single by Sandy Alomar, a walk to Omar Vizquel and bunt single by Kenny Lofton, his 200th hit of the season.

Seitzer then lined his 13th homer -- first as an Indian -- into the stands in left for a 7-1 lead. Two more hits and Ramirez's second RBI single made it 8-1.

Cleveland scored three with two outs in the first. Jim Thome, Albert Belle and Julio Franco singled for one run. Ramirez followed with a fourth straight single, scoring Belle and sending Franco to third.

The Indians then worked a double steal with Franco scoring for a 3-0 lead and Ramirez advancing to third on catcher Pat Borders' throwing error.

See TRIBE, page nine.



The Associated Press

Indians (l-r) Kenny Lofton, Sandy Alomar, and Omar Vizquel congratulate Kevin Seitzer on his second inning grand slam.

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Steelers are too much for Kelly and Bills

Pittsburgh wins, 24-6

Alan Robinson
Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — The Pittsburgh Steelers looked like a team intent on returning to the Super Bowl. Jim Kelly apparently thought he was playing in one.

Pittsburgh turned all three of Kelly's second-quarter interceptions into scores, including Carnell Lake's 47-yard touchdown on the final play of the first half, and the Steelers beat the Buffalo Bills 24-6 Monday night.

Jerome Bettis ran for 133 yards and two touchdowns in his second consecutive 100-yard game and Kordell Stewart turned a seemingly routine screen pass into a 48-yard big play that set up Bettis' first score as the Steelers (2-1) defeated Buffalo (2-1) in Pittsburgh for the fourth straight

season.

"When you make a great quarterback like Jim Kelly hesitate and throw the ball to you, you've done a great job," Steelers defensive coordinator Dick LeBeau said. "They tried everything, but when a defense is playing well like ours is, it looks like you're setting on everything they're doing."

The Steelers are 8-1 under coach Bill Cowher and 6-0 at home on Mondays, apparently their favorite night of the week. But it again wasn't Kelly's night in his hometown.

Kelly, playing without his top pass protector, the injured Ruben Brown, and under constant pressure from a revived Steelers' Blitzburgh defense, threw four interceptions and was sacked twice in one of his worst games of his career outside of a Super Bowl in which he has an 0-4 record.

Kelly was knocked out of the game by the Steelers' defense on his last three trips to Pittsburgh, including a body-slam sack by Greg Lloyd in the Steeler's 40-21 playoff victory in January. But even on a night he started and finished, Kelly never got into a rhythm against a Steelers' defense that resembled the Steel Curtain of the 1970s.



Multi-talented Kordell Stewart played wide receiver during the Steelers' 24-6 victory over Buffalo Monday night.

SOCCKER

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SMU Invitational.

BG has somewhat of a score to settle with the club, having lost 2-1 in a come-from-behind victory for SMU in last year's

Creighton Classic in Omaha, Neb.

"We can go into this tournament knowing that we can play with these type of teams," Mahler said. "They're both very talented teams, and I think we're a talented team, so it's going to be an interesting weekend."

Schedule is cause for concern

This weekend, the Falcons will travel all the way to California, just to play a 7:15 p.m. game with the third-ranked team in the nation. With the time change, the game will be like playing at 10:15 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

After resting for a day, the Brown and Orange return to action Sunday, and will return early Monday morning. After one short day of rest, BG will turn around and drive to Detroit for a Wednesday evening matchup.

"This is going to be a great test of the kids early on in the year," Mahler said. "If we can come out of this with ... two or three wins, I think it'll be a tribute to the mental fortitude of the players."

"If we can get through this stretch of the schedule, get a couple of wins and stay healthy, I think it'll be a great momentum builder going into the month of October for conference play."



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"We showed a lot of heart and integrity after losing to Grand Valley," he said. "The whole team stepped it up a notch against Dayton to get to the finals."

The victory set up a rematch in the finals between BG and a Dayton team out for revenge.

Perry Kraft started the scoring in the 12th minute by converting his second penalty kick of the tournament to give the Falcons an early lead.

The lead would not last long, as Dayton quickly evened the score, rebounding a blocked shot by BG goalkeeper Nick Kaspar.

The Falcon offense then took control of the game. Sophomore forward Karl Schnitt intercepted a pass at midfield and split two defend-

ers with a brilliant through ball. Nathan Lee outraced the Dayton defense and slipped the game-winning goal inside the post.

Gartner and Dickson added goals to seal the 4-1 victory.

Midfielder Josh Kirk, who assisted Gartner's goal, credited the Falcon defense for the team's success.

"Our defense really kept us in this tournament until our offense woke up. (Jeff) Shively, Brett (Thompson), (Mike) Kenney, Perry and Rigel all played really tough."

Nick also had a great tournament in goal. Once our offense starts to click, we are going to be a hard team beat."

Bowling Green hosts the fifth annual BGSU Club Soccer Classic this weekend. BG plays at 8:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., and 4:30 p.m. on Saturday.

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Thomas hit his 37th homer -- his fifth solo shot in three games -- to make it 3-1 in the bottom of the first.

Chicago got two in the third on Tony Phillips' double, Ray Durham's triple and Thomas' sacrifice fly. Thomas drove Belle to the fence in left for his fly ball in the fifth.

Notes: Indians general manager John Hart said before the game he'd like to see the first-round series expanded from best-of-5 to best-of-7. ... Lofton is

the first Indians left-handed hitter to get 200 hits since Dale Mitchell had 203 in 1949. Carlos Baerga, a switch-hitter traded to the Mets, had 200 in 1993 and 205 in 1992. ... Seitzer's grand slam was the ninth by the Indians this season, a club record. They had eight in 1979. ... Belle's fourth-inning leadoff single was the 1,000th hit of his career. ... A sign at Comiskey Park reflecting the disappointment of fans: "Cut Payroll ... Trade Reinsdorf." Announced attendance was just 18,763. Seitzer's grand slam was Cleveland's 207th homer, tying the team record set last season.

Smoltz wins, Braves win

Associated Press

ATLANTA -- John Smoltz became the majors' first 22-game winner, and Ryan Klesko hit a three-run double as Atlanta beat Houston 5-4 Tuesday night.

It was the third straight victory for the Braves after losing six in a row. Atlanta lowered its magic number to seven for clinching its fifth straight post-

season berth.

The Astros, who fell to 0-8 on the road this month, lost their fourth in a row and seventh in nine games. They began the night 2 games behind first-place St. Louis in the NL Central.

Smoltz (22-8) allowed eight hits and three runs in eight innings. He struck out seven, lifting his NL-leading strikeout total to 262.

Darryl Kile (12-9) took the loss.

Tribe postseason -- That's the ticket

Thomas J. Sheeran
Associated Press

CLEVELAND -- The refrain of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" should carry an asterisk in Cleveland: Don't bother, unless you bought your Indians tickets long before the first pitch at Jacobs Field.

Nobody knows that better than Jeff Overton, the Indians vice president of marketing, who once had to hustle to sell tickets for a losing ball club in cavernous Cleveland Stadium. In 1989, his first season with the team, the sixth-placed Indians averaged fewer than 17,000 fans per game.

This season, Overton has presided over a ticket staff that sold all 3.5 million tickets for the defending American League champion's third season in Jacobs Field before opening day.

He can't help but crow a bit. "This is truly a baseball market that was dormant for a long, long time," Overton said.

As the end of the regular approaches, the fan frenzy has carried over to the post-season.

The Indians received nearly 3.4 million postcards for a lottery to award post-season tickets. The winners can buy a maximum of

four of the 60,000 available tickets to the playoffs or World Series at Jacobs Field.

Bob Schluederberg, a Cleveland native now living in Chapel Hill, N.C., doesn't mind the hassle. This summer, he arranged a vacation to his hometown to coincide with Indians tickets to his mother's neighbor offered.

"We waited 41 years to make the playoffs," he said.

"I've definitely paid my dues all these years."

Overton sometimes is reminded of the old days when he watches the Indians play an away game on television and sees thousands of empty seats.

"The first thing that goes through my mind, quite frankly, is 'I've been there,'" Overton said. "Everyone who has been in baseball very long has been there."

With all the tickets sold, his staff keeps busy with season ticket holders and group ticket buyers. They monitor will-call ticket pickups and handle pre-game party arrangements. The staff also suggests to disappointed fans calling for tickets that they watch for 1997 ticket sales in the winter.

Some fans who can't get in to

Jacobs Field take their passion on the road, to Detroit, Chicago or Toronto. But for others, only the green grass of "The Jake" will do.

Tom Dickert, 33, of Cincinnati, brought his family to Cleveland for a game, only to find that no tickets available. Even the stadium tour was sold out.

"I expected them to have something," Dickert said. "Any ticket would have done."

Dickert had thought the sellout situation would ease as the season went on, and even Overton expected more returns by people who bought tickets up to 10 months in advance. But as the Indians kept winning, the fans kept coming.

Even Mike Mastrangelo, owner of a suburban ticket agency, had trouble filling orders.

"In most places, people can walk up and buy tickets," he said. "They walk up here and they're flabbergasted."

He won't divulge prices but he estimated that fewer than 400 tickets per game are resold. Newspaper classified ads offer tickets for \$30 to \$120; the face values range from \$6 to \$21.

The Indians sold out the final 52 home games of last season,

and the 82 scheduled home games this season were sellouts before opening day. About 5 percent to 6 percent of seats aren't filled at each game, which Overton said is a very good rate.

The Indians had attendance of 1.9 million, or 71 percent capacity, in 1994, the inaugural year in Jacobs Field, and 2.8 million or 80 percent during last year's World Series season.

They are the exception to the rest of the major league, where baseball attendance is off 17 percent from the pre-strike 1994 average of 31,612 per game.

With all \$44 million in 1996 tickets sold before the season began, the Indians stand to draw 3.5 million before the last home game on Wednesday.

Because Jacobs Field has a smaller capacity of 42,865, the Indians won't break the major-league single-season attendance record of 4.4 million set by the Colorado Rockies in 1993 when they played in Mile High Stadium.

The Indians have managed to squeeze more people into the ballpark this year than last by keeping the 750 center field bleacher seats installed for the World Series.

Buckeyes have sights set on Pitt

Rusty Miller
Associated Press

COLUMBUS -- Even with ninth-ranked Notre Dame looming, coach John Cooper swears that seventh-ranked Ohio State is only thinking about lowly Pitt.

"I'm not sure we're not going to have a tough game," Cooper said Tuesday at his weekly news conference.

History isn't an ally, if that's the case. The last three years, the Buckeyes have walloped the Panthers 63-28, 27-3 and 54-14. That's an average score of 48-15. Oddsmakers, never known to play fast and loose with their own money, favor the Buckeyes Saturday at 12:30 p.m. by that same 33-point difference.

Yet Cooper said his team can-

not afford to look past Pitt to the game Sept. 28 in South Bend. To hear him tell it, the Buckeyes were downright fortunate to escape a year ago with a 54-14 white-knuckler.

"Even last year, it's a 14-14 game with two or three minutes left in the first half. We scored, as I recall, right before halftime and we're leading 21-14," he said. "Then after that in the second half, we took pretty good control of the game."

Ohio State piled up 636 yards and 30 first downs and forced five turnovers. Wide receiver Terry Glenn had nine catches for 253 yards and four touchdowns, compared with the Panthers 264 yards of total offense and two scores.

But Cooper said there are les-

sons to be learned from upsets elsewhere, particularly Southwest Louisiana's 29-22 shocker late Saturday night over Texas A&M.

"I've been in the game long enough and our players and coaches are mature enough to know that you'd better be ready to play," Cooper said. "All you've got to do is pick up Sunday's paper and read about what happened on Saturday. Southwestern Louisiana and A&M is a good example. Whenever you walk on the field, you'd better respect your opponent."

Pitt is 1-2, with losses to West Virginia (34-0) and Houston (42-35 in overtime) sandwiched around a 52-14 victory over Kent. Ohio State battered Rice 70-7 two weeks ago and then enjoyed a

week off to get ready for Pitt.

Panthers coach Johnny Majors doesn't talk like a guy who expects to be respected by Ohio State.

"We'll have to play considerably the best game we've played to make a contest of it," he said.

What's more, Ohio State could be at full strength. Starting center Juan Porter missed the opener after having arthroscopic surgery on his left knee Aug. 27, but is back practicing. Same goes for defensive tackle Winfield Garnett, who sprained a knee against Rice but has also returned to workouts.

Cooper said he did not anticipate any major changes in the lineup.

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City of Bowling Green Parks and Recreation Department seeks basketball scorekeepers for adult leagues beginning October 20, 1996 and ending March 31, 1997. Applicants must be available evenings from 6:00pm - 11:00pm, Monday through Wednesday. Rate of pay is \$4.00/game. Apply in person at the Parks and Recreation Office in City Park. Deadline to apply is October 4, 1996.

BASKETBALL OFFICIALS

City of Bowling Green Parks and Recreation Department seeks experienced basketball officials for adult leagues beginning October 21 and ending March 31, 1997. Applicants must be available evenings from 6:00pm - 11:00pm, Monday through Thursday. Rate of pay is \$13.00 per game. Apply in person at the Parks and Recreation Office in City Park. Deadline to apply is October 4, 1996.

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City of Bowling Green Parks and Recreation Department seeks (2) gym supervisors to oversee adult basketball and volleyball leagues at High School and Jr. High School beginning October 20 and ending March 31, 1997. Applicants must be available evenings from 6:00pm - Midnight, Monday through Thursday. Rate of pay is \$5.00/hour. Apply in person at the Parks and Recreation Office in City Park. Deadline to apply is October 4, 1996.

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